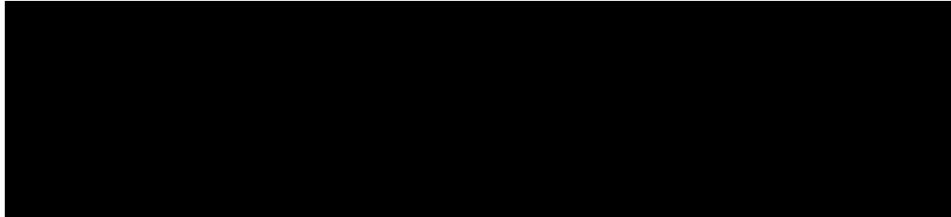


2430 "E" Street, N. W.  
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28 August 1953

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Dear Mr. [REDACTED]:

Your letter of 19 August 1953, same subject, has been reviewed and the following answers are supplied for your guidance:

✓ Door No. 100 - The aluminum kick plates are called for to provide additional protection for the light gauge metal of the door proper. Since there is no core under the bottom rail this would appear justifiable.

✓ Door No. 46 - Your suggestion that a simple knob latch (Type 86N-3) be provided here is approved. However, the question of the outer doors comes up. These doors (No. 102) should be provided with Type 123B-22, to allow optional control of egress by use of a key.

✓ Door No. 104 - As in the case of No. <sup>102</sup>46, it is desired to control egress through this door by means of a key. In this case, the exit is less likely to be used for emergencies. The specification can remain unchanged. With respect to the kick plates, the interpretation contained in your letter of 21 August 1953 is correct.

Doors Nos. 8, 9, and 9A - Floor stops apparently are not called for on the basis that the door checks will prevent drainage to the walls. The keepers included in floor stops of the type suggested would probably not be required for ventilating the rooms while cleaning, since louvers are provided in the doors. If I have missed a point in this connection, please proceed on your own judgment and merely advise.

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Door No. 40 - No lock is required (as agreed by  
Mr. [REDACTED]).

Unless you notify to the contrary, it is assumed that the  
changes involved under this sub-contract entail no adjustment  
in cost.

Very truly yours,

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